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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
(Western Division – Los Angeles)  
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 2:00-cv-13138-LGB -JWJ**

Munchkin Inc v. Safety First Inc  
Assigned to: Judge Lourdes G. Baird  
Referred to: Magistrate Judge Jeffrey W. Johnson  
Demand: \$0  
Cause: 35:145 Patent Infringement

**Plaintiff**

**Munchkin Inc**  
*a Delaware corporation*

Date Filed: 12/14/2000  
Date Terminated: 02/10/2005  
Jury Demand: Plaintiff  
Nature of Suit: 830 Patent  
Jurisdiction: Federal Question

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
12/14/2000	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT filed Summons(es) Issued referred to Discovery Andrew J. Wistrich; Jury Demand (pc) (Entered: 12/18/2000)
12/14/2000	<u>2</u>	CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES filed by plaintiff Munchkin Inc (pc) (Entered: 12/18/2000)
12/14/2000		REPORT ON THE FILING OF AN ACTION REGARDING PATENT OF TRADEMARK (cc: form mailed to Washington, D.C.)(Opening) (bp) (Entered: 12/21/2000)
12/19/2000	<u>3</u>	MINUTES: Cnsl are notified that the above-entitled actn has been recently assigned to this crt. The correct number for this case is now CV00-13138-NM(AJWx) by Judge Nora M. Manella CR: N/A (bp) (Entered: 12/19/2000)
12/19/2000	<u>4</u>	STANDING ORDER by Judge Nora M. Manella. This order controls this case and differs in some respects from the local rules (see doc for details) (bp) (Entered: 12/19/2000)
01/18/2001	<u>5</u>	RETURN OF SUMMONS PROOF OF SVC OF S/C executed upon defendant Safety First Inc a Massachusetts corp BY PERSONAL SVC on Jayne Kosinski, person auth to receive svc of process on 12/28/00 (pj) (Entered: 01/19/2001)
02/09/2001	<u>6</u>	MINUTES: Order to Show Cause re Dism for Lack of Prosecution IT IS ORD Cnsl show cause in writing NLT 2/16/01 why this action should not be dismiss for lack of prosecution ; NO ORAL ARGUMENT WILL BE HRD on this matter unless Ord by Crt; OSC will stand submitted upon the filing of Plf's response; Crt will consider as a satisfactory response the filing of the following on or before the date shown above Dft's Ans or Plf's req for entry of dft; Failure to file a timely response is deemed consent to the dismiss w/out prej of the action as prospd herein by Judge Nora M. Manella CR: None Present (PSEND) (ir) (Entered: 02/09/2001)
02/12/2001	<u>7</u>	STIPULATION and ORDER by Judge Nora M. Manella extending time to answer complaint [1-1] to 2/28/01 as to defendant Safety First Inc (pj) (Entered: 02/14/2001)
02/13/2001	<u>9</u>	NOTICE by plaintiff Munchkin Inc of related case(s) CV 00-13137 LGB (JWJx) (rn) (Entered: 02/22/2001)
02/16/2001	<u>8</u>	RESPONSE by plaintiff Munchkin Inc to order to show cause in writing NLT 2/16/01 why this action should not be dismiss for lack of prosecution [6-1] (jp) (Entered: 02/16/2001)
02/28/2001	<u>10</u>	ORDER RE TRANSFER PURSUANT TO GENERAL ORDER 224 (Related Case) filed. [ Related Case no.: CV 00-13137 LGB (JWJx)] Case transferred from Judge Nora M. Manella to Judge Lourdes G. Baird for all further proceedings. , Case referred from Discovery Andrew J. Wistrich to Discovery Jeffrey W. Johnson . The case number will now reflect the initials of the transferee Judge [ CV 01-13138 LGB (JWJx)] (cc: all counsel) (kc) (Entered: 02/28/2001)
02/28/2001	<u>12</u>	NOTICE OF INTERESTED PARTIES filed by defendant Safety First Inc (pj) (Entered: 03/06/2001)
02/28/2001	<u>13</u>	ANSWER to complaint [1-1] and COUNTERCLAIM by defendant Safety First Inc against plaintiff Munchkin Inc ; (pj) (Entered: 03/06/2001)
03/05/2001	<u>11</u>	FIRST AMENDED ANSWER to complaint [1-1] and COUNTERCLAIM by defendant Safety First Inc against plaintiff Munchkin Inc; summons not issued (jp) (Entered: 03/06/2001)
03/06/2001		NOTICE OF FILING FEE DUE On Pro Hac Vice Application mailed to attorney James J Foster for defendant, counter-claimant Safety First Inc (jp) (Entered: 03/06/2001)

03/14/2001	<u>14</u>	ORDER by Judge Lourdes G. Baird, this matter is set for a scheduling conference set on 9:00 6/18/01 (bp) (Entered: 03/15/2001)
03/15/2001		LODGED APPLICATION OF NON-RESIDENT Attorney To Appear In A Specific Case by James J. Foster on behalf of plaintiff Safety First Inc (FWD TO CRD) (jp) (Entered: 03/16/2001)
03/15/2001		RESPONSE by Pro Hac Vice Attorney James J Foster for counter-claimant Safety First Inc ; PHV fee: pd (twdb) (Entered: 03/19/2001)
03/19/2001	<u>15</u>	APPLICATION AND ORDER of Non-Resident Attorney to Appear in a Specific Case filed for defendant Safety First Inc by James J Foster. Designating Daniel J Woods as local counsel. Approved by Judge Lourdes G. Baird. (Fee pd) (Psend) (jp) (Entered: 03/20/2001)
06/18/2001	<u>16</u>	MINUTES before Judge Lourdes G. Baird: The scheduling conf is held. The Crt ORDERS the cnsl to meet & confer; plf to fax to dft a cpy of the joint clm stmt in the rel case CV00-13137 LGB (JWJx) NLT 06/25/01 & dft's resp is due NLT 07/6/01. The Crt SETS telephone conf as fol: The Crt ORDERS a telephone conference call on 7/12/01 @ 5:15 . CR: Laura Elias (Send) (cc: Cnsl) (jp) (Entered: 06/21/2001)
07/06/2001	17	STATEMENT RE CLAIM CONSTRUCTION by defendant Safety First Inc (lc) (Entered: 07/09/2001)
07/11/2001	18	MINUTES: The crt advances the telephone conference call from 5:15 pm to 2:30 pm in order to discuss the status of the case. by Judge Lourdes G. Baird CR: N/P (bg) (Entered: 07/16/2001)
07/12/2001	19	MINUTES: telephone conference held The Crt hereby STAYS the action until further notice of the parties by Judge Lourdes G. Baird CR: Not Present (pj) (Entered: 07/19/2001)
12/16/2004	20	JOINT QUARTERLY STATUS REPORT on Stayed Case. (jp, ) (Entered: 12/17/2004)
01/28/2005	21	MINUTES IN CHAMBERS before Judge Lourdes G. Baird: On the Court own motion, the Court hereby sets a Telephone Conference re: Status of the Case and Continued Stay as follows: The Telephone Conference regarding Status of the Case and Continued Stay is set for 2/9/2005 02:30 PM. Counsel for plaintiff is ordered to initiate the telephone conference call through the telephone operator to include all counsel of record. The telephone conference in the above-referenced action is to be held with the telephone conference int he related action of CV 00-13137 LGB (JWJx). Court Reporter: Not Present. (jp, ) (Entered: 02/01/2005)
02/10/2005	<u>22</u>	ORDER REMOVING CASE FROM ACTIVE CASELOAD by Judge Lourdes G. Baird. It is Ordered that this action is hereby removed from this Courts active caseload until further application by the parties or order of this Court. It is further Ordered that counsel for plaintiff shall file a quarterly status report commencing on 6/9/05. This Court retains full jurisdiction over this action and this Order shall not prejudice any party to this action. All dates in this action are hereby VACATED. (Made JS-6. Case Terminated.)(bg, ) (Entered: 02/11/2005)
04/12/2005	23	JOINT QUARTERLY STATUS REPORT ON STAYED CASE filed by Defendant Safety First Inc. (pbap, ) (Entered: 04/20/2005)
06/08/2005	24	JOINT QUARTERLY STATUS REPORT ON STAYED CASE filed by Defendant Safety First Inc. (pbap, ) (Entered: 06/10/2005)
09/06/2005	25	JOINT QUARTERLY STATUS REPORT ON STAYED CASE filed by Defendant Safety First Inc. (pbap, ) (Entered: 09/14/2005)
03/08/2006		REPORT ON THE DETERMINATION OF AN ACTION REGARDING Patents (cc: form mailed to Washington, D.C.) (Closing). (pbap, ) (Entered: 03/13/2006)